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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	FARKAS, <i>et al.</i>	Examiner:	Lamarre, G.
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO  
RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This communication is in reply to the Office Action dated March 14, 2008, in which a restriction/election requirement was presented. In response thereto, Applicant elects the claims identified under Group II, (readable on "independent claims 10, 12 and dependent claims thereof" per Office Action at page 1 of 3) with traverse.

A complete listing of the Claims, to include amendments thereto, begins on page 2 of this paper.

The Remarks follow on page 5.

Authorization is hereby given to charge/credit Deposit Account 50-0996 (NXPS.355PA) all required fees/overages to enter this paper.